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SATURDAY, JULY 29, 1911.

Courthouse News.

DEEDS FILED.

L. G. W. Edwards to R. P. Thomas, June 1, 1911, deed to lots 6, 7 and 8, block 19, \$250.

Alfred Biry to Emil Biry, May 25, 1911, partition deed to 106 acres out of survey 59, in name of A. Cykosky.

Emil Biry to Alfred Biry, May 25, 1911, partition deed to 144 acres out of surveys Nos. 59 and 60, in names of A. Cykosky and M. Bieler.

Henry Meyer to Adolph Haby, May 1, 1911, deed to lots 5, 6 and 7, block 35, Dunlay, \$60.

J. B. Hughes and wife to Franz C. Groos, et al, trustees, May 23, 1911, warranty deed with defeasance clause, 125 acres out of survey 5, in name of Robt. Atkinson, \$250 cash and \$33 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

Hugo Grote and wife to same parties as above, same kind of deed, April 22, 1911, 306.85 acres out of surveys 37, 66 and 430, in names of W. E. Jones, Wm. Hawkins and F. J. Dunman, \$614 cash and \$48 per acre on Dec. 1, 1911.

Jacob Etter and wife to same parties as above, May 6, 1911, same kind of deed, 151 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres out of survey 26 in name of Julio Contis, \$302 cash and \$48 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

G. Weiblein to same parties, May 17, 1911, option on 451 acres, out of surveys 31, 39 and 20, in names of J. DeGant, W. M. Hewitt and I. Palmer, \$902 cash and \$38 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

R. M. Hawes and wife to same parties, April 28, 1911, warranty deed with defeasance clause, 363 acres out of surveys 447, 449, 421, 37 and 422, in names of Campbell, Denson, Dikes, Jones and Emmenecker, \$1089 cash and \$44.50 per acre on Jan. 31, 1912.

Adams & Thompson to same parties, May 24, 1911, same kind of deed as last above, 640 acres, survey 503, in name of Henry Reisacher, \$1280 cash and \$43 per acre on Dec. 1, 1911.

Adolph Trappe and wife to same parties, May 1, 1911, same kind of deed, 300 acres, in name of Manuel Hernandez, \$600 cash and \$48 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

Chas. Foerster and wife to same parties, April 22, 1911, same kind of deed, 305.62 acres, out of surveys 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 37, in names of M. Dikes and W. E. Jones, \$612 cash and \$48 per acre on Dec. 1, 1911.

Adams & Thompson to same parties, May 24, 1911, same kind of deed, 2318 acres out of four surveys, \$4636 cash and \$38 per acre on Dec. 1, 1911.

E. F. Gates to same parties, May 23, 1911, option on 258 acres out of survey 449, in name of Mary Denson, \$516 cash and \$48 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

F. X. Schmitt to same parties, May 12, 1911, option on 362.93 acres out of four surveys, \$543 cash and \$48.50 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

R. G. Harding to same parties, May 25, 1911, option on 148 acres out of survey 5, in name of Robt. Atkinson, \$296 cash and \$43 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

G. H. Gammill and wife to same parties, May 27, 1911, warranty deed with defeasance clause, 337 acres out of survey 58, in name of Jos. L. Lytle, \$500 cash and \$35.50 per acre on Jan. 1, 1912.

A. B. Williamson, et al, to same parties, March 31, 1911, option on 376 acres out of various surveys, \$1902 cash and \$27 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

Aug. R. Wernette and wife to same parties, May 24, 1911, warranty deed to 222 acres out of survey 509 in name of J. Varenne, \$444 cash and \$23 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

Louis Schmidt to same parties, March 24, 1911, option on 578 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres out of surveys 20 and 18, \$1156 cash and \$23 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

Ed Rohde to same parties, March 25, 1911, option on 700 acres out of various surveys, \$1400 cash and \$35 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

Frank Maas to same parties, March 23, 1911, option on 340 acres out of survey 502, in name of Peter Bluntzer, \$668 cash and \$30 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

Fritz Kraft to same parties, March 23, 1911, option on 1001 acres out of various surveys, \$1500 cash and \$30.50 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

R. Gross to same parties, April 11, 1911, option on 800 acres out of various surveys, \$1600 cash and \$48 per acre on 100 and \$43 per acre on 700 acres on Dec. 31, 1911.

J. A. Crawford to same parties, March 23, 1911, option on 2624 acres out of surveys 500 and 516, \$524 cash and \$38 per acre on Dec. 31, 1911.

J. H. Bales, et al, to same parties, March 27, 1911, warranty deed with

June 13, son to Jos. Mangold and wife.

June 18, daughter to Louis Mangold and wife.

June 18, son to Chas. Bendele and wife.

June 18, daughter to Henry Cravey and wife.

June 20, son to Wm. H. Smith and wife.

DEATHS.

May 28, Joel Cancienne, white male, 20 years old.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses issued during the month of June, 1911:

Vicente Flores and Isabel Herrada.

Dr. R. E. Rahm and Minnie Reily.

Pedro Alvarado and Guadalupe Rodriguez.

Thomas J. Neuman and Marie Ida Mann.

Harm Frerichs and Martha Schwoppe.

Paul Koch and Augusta Hartung.

Ramon Mata and Antonia Martinez.

Ernest F. Wilson and Willie Hancock.

Hugo L. Wurzbach and Clara Balzen.

Selso Mendiola and Bitoria Segobia.

W. T. Ford and Minnie Monkhouse.

Pedro Valdez and Virginia Davila.

Local Firm Will Continue Valuable Agency.

W. H. Windrow of this city has just closed a deal whereby he will continue to be agent for Zemo—the well known remedy for Eczema, Dandruff and all diseases of the skin and scalp.

The extraordinary leap that this clean liquid external treatment for skin afflictions has made into the public favor in the last few years proves its wonderful curative properties and makes it indeed a valuable addition to the fine stock of remedial agents carried by W. H. Windrow.

He has a limited supply of samples one of which will be given free to any skin sufferer who wishes to test the merit of the medicine. A booklet "How To Preserve The Skin," will also be given to those interested.

Costumes of Fish Skins.

Among the most wonderful garments worn at the present day are the curious fish skin dresses of the wealthy women of the Gold tribe, living along the Amur river, East Siberia. Though they can neither read nor write these people are producing astonishing ornaments, designs and embroidery work.

The dress is composed of several layers of fish skin, the undermost representing the skin of the garment proper, the uppermost showing the ornaments in their cut-out forms. Between these two layers is inserted a middle layer, which serves as a background, throwing out distinctly all parts of the ornaments. The pieces of fish skin forming the ornaments are generally colored blue. The front and back of the dress is adorned with these cut-out pieces of fish skin sewed with fish skin thread.—Christian Herald.

Caring For Children.

The care of children is the most important duty that older people ever have thrust upon them, for upon these little ones depends the future of the world. Health is the first requisite to success, so be careful regarding the health of your children. For constipation, indigestion, liver trouble, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, nervousness, etc., you will find nothing better than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepson. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what we claim, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepson Syrup Co. 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all dealers at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

Birds Killed in Migration.

According to advices from the Caucasus millions of singing birds which every winter used to find a warm retreat on the southern slopes of the forest clad mountains of the Caucasus have suddenly been surprised by the intense cold and severe snowstorms while they were on their way from the north. The slides of the mighty mountains, the highest in Europe, and the shores of the Black sea are now strewn with small corpses of singing birds, especially bulfinches, goldfinches, robin redbreasts, fly-catchers and other birds which in the summer mostly visit these shores.

Happy Homes.

Unhappiness and poverty in families is often due to constant sickness. Disease usually starts somewhere in the stomach or intestines, and if you will take a remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepson at the first approach of chronic constipation, indigestion, liver trouble, sick headache, etc., you are very sure not to have a serious disease. The remedy is absolutely guaranteed to do what we claimed and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepson Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all dealers at 50c and \$1.00 a bottle.

BIRTHS.

Births reported for month of June, 1911:

May 25, daughter to John Nunn and wife.

May 25, son to J. R. Brucks and wife.

June 6, son to A. E. Nester and wife.

June 6, son to E. Ibarra and wife.

Perfection a Rarity.

Some men are criticised because they wear side whiskers, yet no man on earth is within a hundred miles of being perfect.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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**Farms, Ranches
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The Lone Star Saloon



Stomach Blood and Liver Troubles

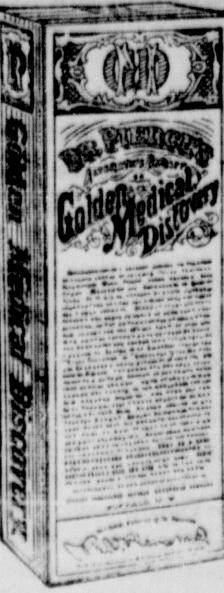
Much sickness starts with weak stomach, and consequent poor, impoverished blood. Nervous and pale people lack good, rich, red blood. Their stomachs need invigorating for, after all, a man can be no stronger than his stomach.

A remedy that makes the stomach strong and the liver active, makes rich red blood and overcomes and drives out disease-producing bacteria and cures a whole multitude of diseases.

Get rid of your Stomach Weakness and Liver Laziness by taking a course of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—the great Stomach Restorative, Liver Invigorator and Blood Cleanser.

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottole-wrapper, same being attested as correct under oath.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pillols regulate and invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels.



The Texas Banks

Money is the blood of commerce and our banks are the heart of our financial system. They are a necessary and powerful factor in the state's development. Our politicians may agitate, our law givers legislate and our promoters enthuse over our industrial problems, but the banker is the man who passes final judgment and upon his decision rests the progress and destiny of the state.

Gen. Sam Houston's Views.

Gen. Sam Houston was opposed to banks and at the first Constitutional Convention introduced the following resolution: "No banking institution or office of discount and deposit or any other moneyed corporation or banking establishment shall ever exist under the constitution of Texas." General Houston defended the resolution on the floor of the convention, but lost. Since then our banking institutions have been growing rapidly.

Our Bankers.

The patriotism, ability and conservatism of the Texas bankers have protected, built up and directed the state's material growth, placing under our business institutions solid, substantial foundations and the financial fibre of the state is strong, vigorous and sufficiently elastic to care for our big problems in development.

Our Banks.

We have 527 national banks, 626 state banks, 174 private banks and five savings banks. The combined capital of the state and national banks is \$63,483,500, surplus \$26,135,031, undivided profit \$9,332,505 and the deposits on June 1, 1910, \$279,580,541. The figures on private banks are not of record and are therefore omitted in the above data. The amount on deposit in our banks is equal to \$70 per capita.

Texas Investments.

No state in the Union can offer such opportunities for investment as Texas. The rapid increase in value of all Texas property and the many business opportunities which are afforded every individual renders investments safe and profitable. Our real estate increases in value approximately one million dollars per day and we have \$700,000 of outside money coming into Texas daily.

The Texas Negro

The Texas negro is primarily a farmer and the race has made little progress in commerce, mechanics, science and art. Freedom has carried with it responsibilities which have weighed heavily upon the colored race and after a lapse of half a century of freedom they are still the "drawers of water and the hewers of stone." The young are dependent upon the white man for their education and the aged and infirm are his wards.

The Slave Negro.

In 1860 there were 158,595 slaves in Texas, rendered for assessment at \$106,688,920, giving an average value per slave all ages of \$672.71. The assessed value of all land in Texas at that time was \$122,294,764. The slaves were almost equal in value to all farm property, constituting 38 per cent of the taxable wealth of the state. The state and county revenues derived from taxing slaves annually was approximately \$1,000,000.

Taking into consideration the per cent of true value of property rendered for assessment in 1860, and the rate of interest prevailing at that time, we find the negroes of all ages producing a net revenue of \$100 each per annum. Since the war the colored race in Texas has been able to accumulate approximately \$75,000,000, which is equivalent to \$2 each per annum while masters of their own destinies against a net production of \$100 per annum when under the direct supervision of the white man.

The Free Negro.

In 1860 the census shows 620,772 negroes in Texas. They owned 85,538 farms, valued at \$56,229,210. Their farms averaged fifty-nine acres each, although fifty-five negroes owned 1,000 acres and over. Over 88 per cent of our negro farmers raise cotton and 18 per cent of all the farmers in Texas are negroes.

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Life.

Life is extraordinarily interesting. It is a splendid thing to be born; it is a splendid thing to live.—The Bishop of Southwell.

Sounded That Way.

Teacher—What is a percolator? Beside Bright? Pupil (after thinking)—A person who promenades under a per cent!

Prohibition will not flourish as long as the price of a lemonade will buy two beers!

The morning "rappin'" often turn out to be the man who's been out all night!

It's a waste of money to advertise for lost friendship or an umbrella!



(Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium)

Prompt Powerful Permanent

Its beneficial effects are usually felt very quickly. Stubborn cases yield to P. P. P. when other medicines are useless.

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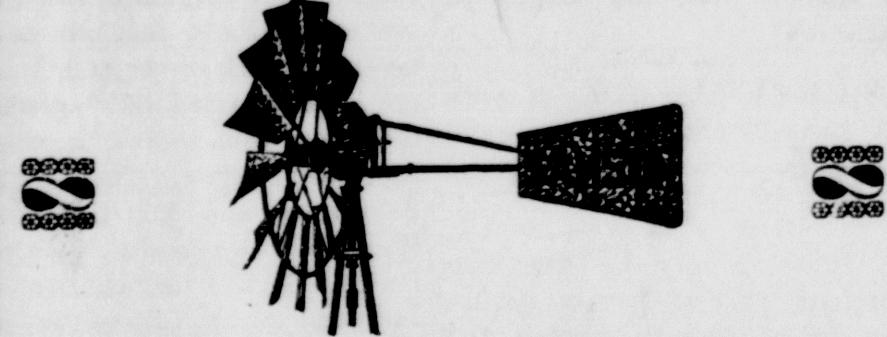
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at your stomach is in a bad
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a complete cure. He is now
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"Strike while the iron is hot,
Panse and the iron is cold;
If you strike too late on a hardened plate
The weld will never hold.

"Seek, and success will follow;
Wait, and it passes by—
Be quick to grasp, then hold it fast,
And trust for a better try.

"Serve, and the world serves with you;
Loaf, and you loaf alone;
This strenuous world is a continuous
whirl—
It offers no room for the drone.

"Life is an undertaking.
Death is a silent thought;
So let life's light illuminate the night
With the service you have wrought.
—Unknown."

BETTER one's own self-respect in silence than the smiles of flatterers!

We doff our hat to the Maverick box—22 votes solid for local self-government and personal liberty!

Medina County had over two hundred stay-at-homes Saturday. Had they all voted the amendment would have been beaten in the county by nearly three to one.

The Hondo Anvil-Herald's "final word" on the late campaign filled two and a half columns.—San Antonio Express. If space had not failed us we would probably have made it a final "line"!

THE 32nd Legislature is called to meet in special session at Austin next Monday. The principal business will be the making of appropriations for carrying on the state government and the re-districting of the state under the 1910 census.

The Hondo Anvil Herald says: Several of Devine's local option cases were again knocked into cocked hats in the County Court here this week. The Anvil Herald does not profess to know anything about the merits of these cases, but it does look to us like, that for the sake of the tax-payers who foot the bills, Devine should quit burdening the docket of our court with cases unless she can furnish the necessary evidence to convict.

Is it possible that Saint W. L. Dubose has been boot-legging again?—Jourdanton Monitor?

W-h-a-t!



Americans are the greatest travelers in the world.

American railway service is the best in the world.

American Railway Time Inspection is necessarily the most rigid in the world.

The South Bend Watch having been submitted to rigid examinations and a series of the most exacting tests conducted for this special purpose by some of the principal chief Railway Inspectors has not only fully met all requirements but has done so with a larger margin in its favor than has ever previously been secured by an equal number of watches.

V. A. CROW

WHILE attending the meeting of the Southwest Texas Press and Commercial Association at Alpine, it was our pleasure to be the guest of the St. Stephen's Irrigation Co. This project will cost about a million dollars, and in Texas is second in magnitude only to our own Medina Irrigation Co. A dam is being constructed of concrete in a narrow gorge of the Alamo Creek and will create a lake some three miles long and two and a half miles wide with an average depth of 35 feet. It will be supplied with the storm waters of a drainage area of 500 square miles. Immediately below the dam is a virgin valley of some 9000 acres that will be irrigated from the lake. The enterprise is being financed by the Orient Railroad and will be a valuable object lesson to this entire section as to the possibility of the conservation of storm waters, by means of dams, and its utilization for irrigation purposes on the fertile valleys below.

WHILE the wires were still hot with the returns coming in from the prohibition election, one Arthur W. Jones, in charge of prohibition headquarters at Dallas, rushed into print, through an interview in a Dallas paper, to pour his slimy slander over the fair name of Medina County by alleging that there had been fraud in the conduct of the election because there were polled thirteen more votes than there were poll tax receipts issued. To effectually give him the lie, interested parties looked up the records and found the following: Poll tax receipts issued..... 1463 Exemptions to unders..... 49 Overs who pay no poll tax..... 167 Total voting strength..... 1679 Votes polled..... 1476 Votes short..... 203 Will Mr. Jones seek to make amends for the wrong he has done Medina County? We seriously doubt it.

THE city of Alpine is an applicant for the location of the Woodman of the World Tuberculosis Sanitarium that has been authorized by the Head Camp of that order. Alpine is an ideal location for such an institution. Its altitude, climate and water could scarcely be improved upon anywhere in the world. And the beautiful scenery is conducive to cheerful thoughts and contented spirits, psychologic elements that are not to be ignored when seeking relief for sick and afflicted physical bodies. The committee having the matter in charge will make no mistake if it locates the Sanitarium in all-satisfying Alpine.

WRITING of the Alpine press convention, Joe Boehmer says in the Eagle Pass Guide: Austin Callan, of Del Rio, he of the Irish wit and silver bronzed tongue, told of the "Power and influence of the weekly press," incidentally mentioning the mountain peaks near Alpine where the angels reached down from heaven and tickled their feet. * * * Fletcher Davis, of Hondo, ably and eloquently told "How to make a local newspaper successful." Then the rain started—it was probably Callan's angels weeping because Davis was not up there to run their local paper.

THE Alpine Avalanche asked the delegates to the recent press convention in that city for an expression of their views on Alpine, and prints a symposium of eleven of them. From it we clip the following: Alpine is a beautiful place, blessed of the gods beyond compare in climate and scenery, and peopled by princes and princesses of hospitality. Had we not the blessing of an abode in heavenly Hondo we should be happy to be at home in all-satisfying Alpine.—FLETCHER DAVIS, Editor Hondo Anvil Herald.

"He laughs best who laughs last!"

No body loves a coward!

GIVE YOUR LIVER A FAIR CHANCE

Stop Drugging It With Calomel; Dodson's Liver Tonic, a Vegetable Liquid Medicine, Works Without Harm

If your liver stops working it is a mistake to try to whip it into action with doses of calomel.

It's so much simpler and safer to cure your liver troubles with the pleasant tasting liquid, Dodson's Liver Tonic. You can get a large bottle at W. H. Windrow's drug store for fifty cents and every member of the family can use it. Dodson's Liver Tonic is an all-vegetable liver medicine that starts the liver to act within a few hours and has no bad after-effects. No restriction of your habits or diet necessary.

W. H. Windrow guarantees it to be a perfect substitute for calomel and will give you your money back if you are not pleased with the medicine.

Get a bottle instead of calomel next time.

"AND when thou prayest, thou shalt not be as the hypocrites are; for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly".—Matt.6:5,6.

THE Anvil Herald's home box gave an anti-prohibition majority of 31 votes; its town, a majority of 62 votes; its Justice of the Peace precinct, a majority of 81 votes; its county, a majority of 612 votes; and its state a majority of 6,491 votes. Verily is the Anvil Herald in the house of its friends and it might indulge a crow were it not for its innate modesty!

HONDO Davis went to Alpine last week and for four days forgot all about Hondo's hog pens. Judging from the good time he seemed to be having we believe he will get away from Hondo oftener hereafter.—Eagle Pass News-Guide. Chase the hogs! How could you be so cruel as to wake us from our dreaming!

WHO hath a clear conscience has won the greater victory!

A Card.

The ice-cream festival given last Saturday for the benefit of the organ and bell fund resulted in the netting, above all expenses, of the neat sum of \$125.75. We wish to sincerely thank the public for its generous patronage on this occasion.

Respectfully,
THE LUTHERAN LADIES.

He Had No Gun!

Yes! many wait until the season is nearly over, then it's too late and you can't find the kind you want. Come now, I have just received a large assortment of Rifles, Shot Guns and Ammunition.

C. R. GAINES.

For Sale.

320 acres practically all heavy farming land, 60 acres in cultivation, good well, rent house, etc. Part cash, and balance on easy terms. H. R. BAILEY.

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FOR SALE—3100 acres of deeded land and 240 acres of state land, black post oak and live oak land with clay foundation, 225 acres in cultivation, 800 more can be cultivated, two tenant houses, good sheds, fences and other improvements, three pastures fenced with new seven and eight barbed wire hog-proof fence, well watered and is thirty-one miles northwest of Hondo in Sabinal canyon. Price \$13 per acre, one-third cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser at 7 per cent interest for deeded land and state land thrown in. This is an ideal stock ranch. Apply at once to the Hondo Land Company, Taylor & Davis, Managers, Hondo, Texas.

Don't delay; act now!

For Sale.

678½ acres of land, located one mile south of D'Hanis, nearly one-half of this land is good agricultural land and balance good grazing. Has a good tank of water on same, \$20 per acre.

200 acres unimproved, about 9 miles south of D'Hanis, for \$2000. Both of these tracts are bargains.

F. J. CARLE,
D'Hanis, Texas.

46 tf Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

Bids Wanted.
The Ladies Cemetery will receive sealed bids up to for the construction of a woven wire fence around the cemetery, a distance of 1000 feet will be set six feet apart, with gate and two smaller ones. Application reserves the right to and all bids. For further apply to Mrs. Tom McClellan.

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Hondo, Texas July 27, 1911

Is it among your good intentions to change the appearance of anything by the application of paint this season? It freshens things up wonderfully! We sell paints of all hues and colors of the rainbow—especially good paints, too!

Whether you will need a large or small quantity, come in and let us tell you something about paint.

Yours truly,
W. H. WINDROW.



LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Get it at Windrow's.
Tanks at F. Kilhorn, Jr.'s.
Jelly Glasses, Holloway Bros.
Tin work at F. Kilhorn, Jr.'s.
Fresh Chocolates, Otto Lebold's.
Mason Fruit Jars, Holloway Bros.
Souvenir post cards at F. A. Heyen's.
Ice Cream Freezers, Holloway Bros.
That Guaranteed Razor, Holloway Bros.

M. A. Chancey visited San Antonio Sunday.

Joe Koch, the D' Hanis merchant, was here Sunday.

Studebaker Wagons—none better, Holloway Bros.

Are your plows sharp? If not bring them to J. H. Meyers.

Miss Sue Johnson was the guest of relatives here Monday.

Buy your new suit of clothes from Bailey. Fits guaranteed.

Miss Mary Kempf returned Sunday from her visit to Sabinal.

Uncle Louis Heath was here Tuesday from the Chicon on business.

Tin roofs and all kinds of repairing guaranteed. F. Kilhorn, Jr.

Elmer de Montel and Ralph J. Noonan visited San Antonio Saturday.

A. F. Peters is attending the Farmers' Congress at Bryan this week.

J. A. Blackburn and Florean Bendele were in town Wednesday from Birney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meyers left Sunday on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. B. G. Collier went to San Antonio Wednesday on a few days visit.

J. W. Holloway, the gin man, visited San Antonio Sunday, returning Monday.

Marvin Beal and sister, Miss Linnie, were among the week's visitors to Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffis returned Saturday from their visit to North Texas.

R. H. Hudspeth left Sunday for Bryan on a visit to relatives and friends.

Louis Mofield and little daughter, Miss Hazel, were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. A. M. Lamm are visiting relatives and friends at Bryan this week.

Henney hacks and buggies give satisfaction. Sold in Hondo only by E. R. Leinweber.

Miss Mary Whaley is visiting relatives in Bryan this week, and enjoying her annual vacation.

Every thing in the tailor line done and with an absolute guarantee of satisfaction. J. C. Greer, Tailor.

That \$12.50 Gig, Holloway Bros.

That Guaranteed Razor, Holloway Bros.

Studebaker Wagons—none better, Holloway Bros.

Miss Marie Filleman is back from her visit to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. D. Smith of Yancey was shopping in town Wednesday.

D. H. Fly and little daughters came in from San Antonio Monday.

Have your old hats made new at Bailey's, the tailor and hatter.

Wm. Schmalzko, the horse-buyer, was here Monday buying stock.

Mrs. J. D. Burgin went to Uvalde Sunday on a visit to homefolks.

See the special lot of Post Cards at Windrow's Drug Store, 10c doz.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Lutz were here Monday from the Seco shopping.

The Castroville Brass Band is giving a picnic at Biediger's grove to-day.

Dan McKenzie, a stockman of Macdonald, was here Monday on business.

Leinweber has the hack you need—the famous Henney. Call and see it.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines were San Antonio visitors the first of the week.

THE REXALL STORE

If you want up-to-date and cleanest drugs at the lowest prices you can get them here.

Also see our Jewelry Department, the latest and most stylish cut glass and silverware, the best the market affords at the lowest prices.

Our watches and jewelry are the cheapest.

We do Watch Repairing.

Willmann & Martin
Rexall Druggists and Jewelers

Jelly Glasses, Holloway Bros.
Reliable Gasoline Stoves, Holloway Bros.

New lot of Post Cards, 2 for 5c, at Windrow's.

They want a blacksmith in New Fountain, tf

Studebaker Wagons—none better, Holloway Bros.

W. B. Slater was here Monday from Devine, bringing in the returns of the election.

J. S. Monkhouse returned Saturday from a business trip to Houston and other points.

A choice assortment of canned goods, crackers, cakes, confections, etc., at F. A. Heyen's.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas and son, Robert, came in Sunday from their visit to Port Lavaca.

J. F. Hardt and family were down from Laguna this week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Several brands of cigars for sale below cost. Regular 5c seller now two for 5c. Fritz Frerichs, tf.

Carl Meerscheidt was here Sunday from LaGrange visiting his brother, Otto Meerscheidt, the baker.

O. S. Wallace, the Watkin's medicine man, was a business visitor to Del Rio Sunday, returning Monday.

Don't forget that Emil Heyen's place, next to the postoffice, is the place to get a hot hamburger for 5c.

You should see the Henney line of hacks and buggies before buying. They are sold in Hondo by E. R. Leinweber.

Hino Rothe took advantage of the Farmers' Congress excursion to visit his former school mates at College Station this week. He left Sunday.

The party who borrowed a chemical fire extinguisher from Heath Bros.' press room will please return the same as they need it.

C. D. Thallmann changes his address this week to Lytle where he has engaged in the butcher business. We wish Mr. Thallmann success in his new venture.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fink and baby were out from San Antonio Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Fink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Chancey. They returned in the evening.

Mrs. Theresa Hutzler returned to her home Saturday morning after a pleasant visit here to her daughter, Mrs. Ed de Montel, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sadie Hutzler.

Emil Filleman of Wilcox, Ariz., Miss Clara Filleman of Fort Thomas, Ariz., and Miss Annie Filleman of San Antonio visited Chas. Filleman and family Sunday, while en route from San Antonio to Arizona.

O. S. Wallace received the sad news Sunday that his sister, a Mrs. Campbell, died at her home in Sulpher Springs, Texas, Saturday morning. Mr. Wallace has the sympathy of all who know him in this sorrow.

St. Dominics Day, the 4th of August, being on a Friday, the celebration, thereof has been postponed to Monday, Aug. 7. In connection with this there will be a bazaar, and entertainments for the benefit of St. Anthony school, D' Hanis.

LOST, on June 5th between Hondo and New Fountain, one Scotch-Collie dog. Yellow with ring half around neck, white breast, and answers to the name of Bryan. Was fresh clipped all but tail. For reward deliver him to Ed Callahan, Hondo.

The ladies of the Lutheran church were well patronized Saturday at their ice cream festival and netted about \$125.00 in cash for the cause of the church. We are authorized to extend the thanks of the ladies to the public for its generous patronage on this occasion.

Mrs. F. G. Rieden, Mrs. Paul Huntington and Miss Nettie Wagentue of San Antonio who have spent some time here visiting relatives in this vicinity, returned to their homes Monday. They were accompanied home by Miss Annie Muennink, who will visit for some time in the Alamo City.

R. Meyer, representing the San Antonio Number & Directory Co., is here placing numbers on the houses of the town, and will place street signs on the street corners of the town also. It will take 340 signs to mark all of the street corners and it will be some two weeks before the signs can be made and placed.

Mason Fruit Jars, Holloway Bros.
Reliable Gasoline Stoves, Holloway Bros.

Robert Richter was a D' Hanis visitor Tuesday.

All kinds of soft drinks at Heyen's soda fountain.

Studebaker Wagons—none better, Holloway Bros.

Fresh fruits and vegetables of all kinds at F. A. Heyen's.

Cigars, pipes, chewing and smoking tobacco at F. A. Heyen's.

Hamburgers and pies at Emil Heyen's stand, next to the postoffice.

A new shipment of the famous Henney buggies just arrived. E. R. Leinweber.

WOOD! Wood of all kinds. Ring telephone 139 and Emil Leinweber will deliver the same.

Miss Hilda Wurzbach came in Sunday from the west and has been the guest of friends here this week.

The Haupt Berry is the most valuable fruit that grows in this country. J. A. Head, Agent, Bandera, Texas.

M. L. Saathoff was down from the hill country Saturday and went to D' Hanis to cast his ballot in the election.

Mrs. Paddock and daughter, Miss Lizzie, are here from Oklahoma on a visit to Mrs. Paddock's sister, Mrs. Geo. I. Wilson.

If you plant the Belle Peaches and have no fruit there will be none in forty miles of you. J. A. Head, Ag't, Bandera, Texas.

Dr. J. H. Fletcher, Alois Hornung and Bill Ney were down from the dam Saturday to cast their ballots in the prohibition election.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher are moving their household goods to the dam this week, a house having been built there for them.

Miss Emma Miller arrived home Friday of last week from a several weeks visit to her sister, Mrs. C. B. Brown, in San Antonio.

Mrs. Addie Stone returned to her home Saturday morning after a pleasant visit to the family of her brother-in-law, C. W. Stone.

J. B. Kendeleon spent Sunday here and returned to Dunlay Monday morning where he is breaking on the Medina Irrigation Company's branch road.

Mrs. Charles Fuos and children came out from San Antonio the first of the week and are the guests of Mrs. Fuos' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyo Schweers.

W. V. Morrison of San Antonio was here Monday in the interest of his firm, Foley & Co., the firm that makes Foley's Honey and Tar, the famous cough remedy.

Chas. Winkler invites all of his Medina County friends to call on him at 625 Jones Ave., San Antonio. Take the Tobin Hill car and get off on east Elmira Street.

Walter and Erich Rothe and Carl Richter left Sunday on a pleasure trip to Denver, Colorado. The boys expect to be gone for some time and anticipate a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ellis of Houston stopped over on their return from El Paso and visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stone. They resumed their journey Tuesday evening.

The Mexican protracted meeting closed Sunday night after having secured four additions to the membership. Rev. Scott and his ministerial assistant left Monday morning for San Marcos, near which place they are conducting a big protracted meeting.

Miss Selma Stiegler, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stiegler, celebrated her ninth birthday Wednesday and her aunt, Mrs. H. H. Heyen, gave her a party to which a great number of her little friends were invited and all spent a most delightful afternoon.

W. H. Dubose was here from Black Creek Monday bringing in the returns of the election from his box. Black Creek is one box from the southern part of the county that went anti. Those people believe in local-self government and home-taught morality, and not in the fetish that the aid of the state must be invoked to protect themselves from their own appetites.

Commissioners B. H. Brucks, Aug. Tschirhart, G. B. Grant and J. B. Ney were here Thursday and with the usual officers held a special session of the Commissioners Court to canvass the returns of the prohibition election of the 22nd instant and to transact a few other minor matters. The canvass showed the first reports of the result were correct, and we give them in tabulated form as found in another column. The court adjourned the same day.

Attorney S. J. Overton spoke to about sixty or seventy people at the court house Friday evening in opposition to state-wide prohibition. He reviewed the history of local-self government from the days of Magna Carta down to the present and advised his hearers to vote to preserve these liberties on the following day. How well his hearers heeded his advice is attested by the returns of Hondo's two boxes as given in the returns printed elsewhere.

THIS IS GOOD PATCHING WEATHER



When you get the fever come to us for the remedy

Nearly everybody has more or less tinkering and patching to do now and then. A hole in the roof, a little siding torn off, a weak plank in the barn floor, a new door or window in that shed!

Free delivery to any part of the city

King & Hudspeth, Hondo

Ice Cream Freezers, Holloway Bros.
The Anvil Herald does job printing.
Buggies at short crop prices, Holloway Bros.

George Neuman was a San Antonio visitor Thursday.

Chocolate bon bons and fancy box candy at F. A. Heyen's.

E. R. Leinweber and Joe Ney were D' Hanis visitors Wednesday.

A Fifth Sunday Meeting is in progress at the local Baptist church.

Mrs. Annie Parchman left Thursday for San Marcos on a visit to friends.

Messrs. Fritz and August Rothe were over from D' Hanis Monday on business.

Wm. Reitzer was over from Dunlay Monday with the election returns from the Dunlay box.

Sheriff Joe Bader and County Attorney Ralph J. Noonan were D' Hanis visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Bell and two sons of Austin are here, the guests of Mrs. Bell's brother, Col. W. B. Odom.

O. L. Pearson, a telephone man from Austin, spent Sunday here, returning to Austin Monday.

Messrs. C. F. Luckenbach and Pete Koch Jr. were over from D' Hanis Monday on business.

Miss Ruth Warden was over from D' Hanis this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walker and baby and Miss Emily Collick were Alamo City visitors Thursday.

Sheriff Joe Bader and Constable Aug. Schuhle were passengers east Thursday morning visiting Dunlay.

M. M. McFarland, a business man of Uvalde, was in Hondo Wednesday evening on business. He left Thursday morning for San Antonio.

Just arrived at the
Hondo Merc. Co.
a snappy, stylish selection
of
Spring and Summer Dress
Goods

The fabrics in biggest demand, such as Blenheim Satin Stripes, Jacquard Pon-gees, Chiffons, Flaxons, Linens, Toile du Nords, all of the latest shades and designs.

Also a big line of lower priced staple goods.

We can please the most discriminating. Quality remembered long after price is forgotten.

Why are athletes the meat man's friends?



D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Miss Alma Wurzbach who has been visiting friends in our midst for some time, returned to her home at Rio Hondo accompanied by Miss Alice Rothe.

The young people of Old and New D'Hanis tendered a surprise in honor of Miss Bessie Stevens of Runge who is the guest of Mr. Will Finger and family. From all reports they had a good time. They danced until after midnight at the Pavilion in old town. The music was furnished by Messrs. Henkenbach's orchestra of D'Hanis.

Mrs Bertha Burell of Biomedina is here visiting her sister Mrs. Alex Tondre.

Miss Nora Tondre of Castroville is visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Dillinger of Sabinal were in Saturday. Rev. Dillinger filled his appointment on Sunday morning last evening. Two new members were added to the Church Sunday night.

Mr. Paul Reinhart left for San Antonio last Saturday on business, and soon there will go to Converse to join his family where they are visiting relatives and friends.

The new 10,000 gallon tank of the D'Hanis Brick & Tile Co. has been completed. It was mounted on a 30 ft. tank tower which presents a beautiful appearance to the works.

Mrs. Aggie Murphy who has been here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Deckert, returned to her home at Temple last Sunday morning.

Mr. Enderle, the well man, is still working on the well at T. J. Sauter's.

There were quite a crowd out to hear Dr. Juan Ortiz Gonzalez preach at the Presbyterian Church last Monday night.

Mr. W. H. Bowman and family returned to their home in El Paso last week, after spending a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Mesdames Jos. L. Haby and Jos. Betz left Saturday morning for LaCoste, and from there they will visit Devine and Biryville.

Mr. Ed. Koch returned last Friday from Shiner where he had been attending the Staats verband which met at that place.

Mrs. Fritz Rothe Sr. and charming daughter, Miss Elsie, boarded the train for San Antonio Saturday morning.

Miss Ida Poerner, who has been living in San Antonio came out Wednesday night on a visit to homefolks.

Mrs. Nic Deekert returned from San Antonio Saturday where she had been visiting relatives.

Father Pennell Pastor of St. Patrick's church at San Antonio was visiting Fathers Wirtz and Meyer Tuesday.

E. J. Moran, the Piano man of San Antonio, was in town Tuesday the guest of Fathers Wirtz and Meyer.

Miss Alma Campbell from San Antonio is spending her vacation in D'Hanis visiting her friend Miss Elsie Waiter.

Miss Bessie Stevens who used to teach the Old town school is visiting Will Finger and family this week.

Mr. F. J. Carly made a business trip to Victoria and several points East the first of the week.

Miss Maggie Rudinger of Old D'Hanis left Sunday for a visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. Alois Haby of the dam site was in town Sunday visiting his niece Mrs. Alex Tondre.

Com. J. B. Ney and E. Brotze made a business trip down on Tehuacana last Monday.

Prof. Aug. Rothe came in Tuesday from San Antonio on a visit to home folks.

Mr. Paul Reinhart came in Monday night from the East.

Chas. Schreiber returned Sunday from San Antonio.

Mr. Will Ernst of Rosebud, came in Friday on business.

Mr. M. S. Koch left for San Antonio Saturday morning.

Happiest Girl in Lincoln.

A Lincoln, Neb., girl writes, "I had been ailing for some time with chronic constipation and stomach trouble. I begin taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and in three days I was able to be up and got better right along. I am the proudest girl in Lincoln to find such a good medicine." For sale by all dealers.

A man isn't necessarily a high liver just because he occupies the attic room in a boarding house!

Right in your busiest season when you have the least time to spare you are most likely to take diarrhoea and lose several days' time, unless you have Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand and take a dose on first appearance of the disease. For sale by all dealers.

An officeholder no sooner loses his job than he begins to howl for reform!

Report from Constantinople, Turkey.

I have been using your Hunt's Lightning Oil for some time and I think it the best remedy I have ever used for catarrh, bruises and burns. I have used it with great advantage for rheumatism and neuralgia. I especially recommend it for all suffering from rheumatism, neuralgia and troubles of that sort.

PUZANT R. YUZUK, No. 20 Tarakjilar, Constantinople, Turkey.

A lady appreciates a rising young man in a street car, but often is too modest to mention it!

Does Not Irritate.

"I have found Simmons Liver Purifier the mildest and most pleasant in action, yet the surest remedy for constipation, torpid liver and all kindred troubles, I have ever used. It does not irritate or gripe." Very truly, S. P. Cleary, Jackson, Tenn.

Put up in tin boxes only. Price 25c.

One of the wonders in this world is what becomes of all the small children when they grow up!

The greatest enemy of children is the tape worm. It destroys health and undermines the constitution. The greatest enemy of intestinal worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It removes the worms and helps the child back to strength, vigor and cheerfulness. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Some people belong to the church and some others seem to think the church belongs to them!

From Heidenreichstein, Germany.

"I am a user of Hunt's Lightning oil and think it an excellent remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, and like ailments, and am always glad to recommend it.

FRANZ GRUBER, Heidenreichstein, Germany.

After a girl has been married about three weeks she returns to earth—and so does he!

Twenty-Five Cents is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all dealers.

It's much easier to love a poor girl than a rich one because there is less competition!

If you feel "blue" "No account," lazy, you need a good cleaning out. Herbine is the right thing for that purpose. It stimulates the liver, tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Umbrellas and friends are seldom around in the hour of need!

Foolhardy Snake Keeper.

The only fatal case of snake bite on record in the London Zoological gardens was directly due to the foolishness of the victim. He was in charge of the snakes, and coming in one morning with some friends began to boast of his power over the creatures and the extent to which they would submit to be played with by one whom they knew. This led to practical experiments, the overconfident keeper taking an Indian cobra from its comfortable sleeping place, and declaring he was a snake charmer professed to swing it about his head and play other tricks with it.

A native snake charmer would have known there was no more certain way to rouse the snake's temper than this, for the race abhors rough handling or sudden movement of any sort. The result of the exploit was that the keeper was bitten on the nose. He was hurried off to the hospital, but died in a few hours.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin Port Harroson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough I had looked like it, sure enough, I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C. for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure."

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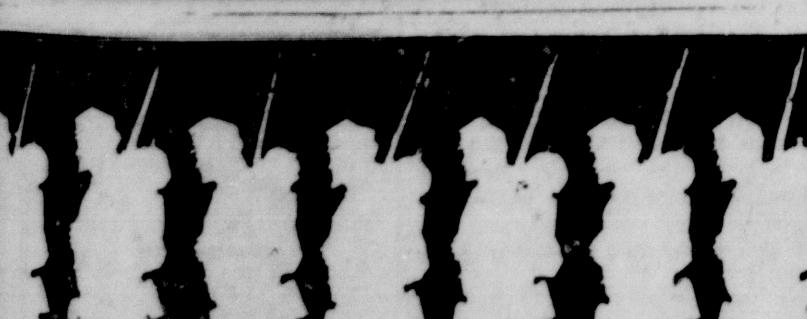
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PERSONALS

New Chocolate Candy at Lebold's.
Pump Leather of all kinds at C. H. Rohlf's.

J. B. Lutz was over from D'Hanis Tuesday on business.

Rev. W. W. Nunn returned Monday from a trip out west.

Adolph F. Haass was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Get the Henney Hack and be happy. Sold by E. R. Leinweber.

A car load of Henney buggies just arrived at E. R. Leinweber's.

Have your clothes cleaned and pressed. Phone 125, G. W. Bailey.

For Sale, one nice residence lot, 60 by 140. See owner, J. H. Meyers.

Wanted—Your clothes to clean and press. Phone 125, G. W. Bailey.

A. A. Huegele, the Biry bee man was in town Monday on business.

Why buy a hat when you can have the old one made new at Bailey's?

Buy an Atlas or a Fairbanks-Morse Gasoline Engine from C. H. Rohlf.

Pipes, pipe-fittings and water supplies furnished by C. H. Rohlf. 3mo.

Otto Lebold has just received a full line of fancy candies. Cold drinks, too.

Wanted, 500 men with loose tires to set. I guarantee my work. J. H. Meyers.

F. J. Saathoff and son, Robert, were business visitors to San Antonio Sunday.

Miss Mollie de Montel went to Sabinal Tuesday on a visit to friends at that place.

Henry Rothe, President of the Hondo State Bank, was a San Antonio visitor Thursday.

Water for yard is extra. For gardens or irrigation not allowed. Water Works Company. 44tf

Call on Leinweber and inspect the Henney Buggies before purchasing elsewhere.

Fence your yard or grave yard plot with Stewart Iron Fence. C. H. Rohlf, agent.

Rudolph Posch was up Sunday from Biry bringing in the returns of the election from that box.

F. A. Burrell, the Riemedina saloon man, and Alois Haby were here Wednesday on business.

Mesdames Jacob Mangold and Mary Kauffmann were here Wednesday from Lacoste on business.

Miss Cora McVeigh, a trained nurse who had spent some time here, left Tuesday for Del Rio.

Ed Hans was over from Castroville Sunday bringing in the returns from that box of the election.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Koch and son, Hy., were here Monday on business. They returned to D'Hanis Tuesday.

Barbecued meat for sale every day in the week, except Sunday, back of C. H. Sayer's City Saloon. 44tf

Have your wagon and buggy tires set up to date. We set them while you wait. L. A. Mechler & Co.

There will be a Grand Dance at the Vandenberg Platform on Saturday night, July 29th. Everybody invited.

Tom McClaugherty passed through here Tuesday evening en route to Luling where he joined Mrs. McClaugherty and will spend his vacation.

Wm. Santieben of Lacoste and Mr. Bales of Lytle were here Monday, bringing in the returns from the election held at their respective boxes.

Frank Bohl was here Monday from Lacoste, the guest of his old comrade-in-arms, X. Wantz. The old veterans spent a pleasant day together.

I am now ready to serve my old customers, which I shall do to the very best of my ability, and solicit the patronage of new ones. J. C. Greer, Tailor.

Joe Schmidt and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Kingsbury, arrived here Wednesday on a week's visit to Mr. Schmidt's brother, Geo. E. Schmidt, and family.

A call for a meeting of the prohibition campaign committee is out for a conference at Ft. Worth today, and another conference is called for Austin next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rihm were here Saturday and Sunday, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ambrose Zimmerman. While here Mr. Rihm paid our office an appreciated call.

Mrs. Dr. Woolsey and children who had been visiting out west stopped over here on their return and visited Mrs. M. Terrell the first of the week. They returned to Nixon Wednesday.

Bessie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Earnest, broke her leg while the family were up on the Medina river last week fishing. She is reported progressing favorably towards recovery.

Mrs. W. C. Horger and little daughter of Antonio and Miss Verba Horger of Plainview arrived here Tuesday of last week from her visit to Missouri.

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Considerable interest has been taken in base ball here this week. The Sabinal team came down Tuesday afternoon and were defeated by the local team by a score of 8 to 3. Sabinal's Juniors came down Wednesday and played two games with Hondo's Juniors, taking the morning game by a score of 8 to 1 and losing the afternoon game to Hondo by a score of 10 to 11. The small boys also lost two games at Devine the first of the week. A nine composed of four first-team players and five second nine boys went to Sabinal Thursday and, owing to bad umpiring, were defeated by a score of 5 to 4.

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The D'Hanis News has again changed hands. Alex Tondre sold the paper this week to Victor Koerner, a lawyer, formerly of St. Louis but more recently from Utopia.

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When you are hungry and want a quick meal call at Henderson's short order restaurant south of the depot and order what you want. What you want when you want it and as you want it is his motto.

Our attention has been called to an interview in Thursday's Light and Gazette in which Weather Observer Allen Buel reports the heaviest general rain since 1900—and says that reports from both north and south Texas give promise of the best yield since 1900. We can't imagine what kind of a pipe the gentleman has been hitting but we have no doubt that when it goes out he will be greatly surprised at the kind of news he has been handing out. We have heard nothing of a general rain or bumper crop from any other source so far, and are positive that Hondo has so far missed her share of both.

Considerable interest has been taken in base ball here this week. The Sabinal team came down Tuesday afternoon and were defeated by the local team by a score of 8 to 3. Sabinal's Juniors came down Wednesday and played two games with Hondo's Juniors, taking the morning game by a score of 8 to 1 and losing the afternoon game to Hondo by a score of 10 to 11. The small boys also lost two games at Devine the first of the week. A nine composed of four first-team players and five second nine boys went to Sabinal Thursday and, owing to bad umpiring, were defeated by a score of 5 to 4.

FOR SALE.—Three hundred and fifty seven-acres of fine farming land twelve miles south of Hondo. Seventy-five acres are in cultivation and every foot can be cultivated. Soil is black and light sandy. There is a five room house, two tenant house, large barn, fine well, windmill and large tub tank. Only a half a mile from a school and church and four miles from post office. This is a fine body of land, suitable for dividing up into smaller farms and is for sale at a reasonable price. For price, terms, etc., apply to either member of the Hondo Land Co.

Considerable excitement was caused about noon Monday by the blowing of the fire-alarm whistle. The Volunteer Fire Co. responded at once but by the time they could reach the scene of the fire with their apparatus people in the neighborhood of the fire had extinguished it with buckets. The fire originated from some unknown cause in a pile of boxes and rubbish in the back yard of the Hutzler confectionery. No loss of any consequence was sustained.

J. D. Burgin has been admitted to a partnership in the Hondo Land Co. and is ready for business. With H. B. Taylor and Mr. Burgin to look after the field work and Fletcher Davis looking after the advertising department, this company is exceptionally equipped to handle a real estate business. If you have lands for sale or if you are looking for a farm, ranch or town property see or write to some member of the company.

Local Manager J. B. Hurt of the Southwestern Tel. & Tel. Co. rigged up a temporary telephone station in the waiting room at the depot Saturday night and received the news of the election up to a late hour. This was a great accommodation to the public, as every one was interested in the result.

The D'Hanis News has again changed hands. Alex Tondre sold the paper this week to Victor Koerner, a lawyer, formerly of St. Louis but more recently from Utopia.

If you are interested in an easy-pay plan of investment call at this office and see a plat of the famous Los Angeles Heights addition to San Antonio.

About fourteen of our ball players and fans went down to Sabinal Thursday where the Sabinal boys defeated our team to the tune of 5 to 4.

We wish to go to press with this paper soon after noon on Friday of each week and in order to do so must have copy in early—please.

Miss Annie Merriman, the Rubinstein Mercantile Co. clerk, is enjoying a week's vacation and visiting friends in San Antonio.

Hondo's visitors to the Farmers' Congress at College Station returned yesterday and all report a most enjoyable time.

Any one wishing to save money on the purchase of a new piano will find it to his interest to consult the editor of this paper.

For Perfumes, Toilet Waters, Face Creams, Rice Powders, Talcum Powder, etc., come to Windrow's Drug Store.

Miss Helen Hummel has returned to her home in San Antonio after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Wm. A.